

# Sabbath Rest

## Behind the Scenes

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It has been a while since the picture above was taken, but without the help of these volunteers Shepherd's Refuge could not open its doors to the many pastors, missionaries and ministry leaders the Lord sends our way. Thank you for the innumerable hours of hard work you sacrificed!

Those on their knees! We have a wonderful and faithful intercessory prayer team that brings issues we share with them before the throne of Grace, and who joins us in praising the Lord for the answers He continually provides. Thank you for your persistence in praying for the guests and the ministry!

Our Board of Directors has been at it since the inception of Shepherd's Refuge! A team of seasoned servants of the Lord, bringing wisdom and expertise to our quarterly meetings and even in-between, especially when we need help with cleaning, welcoming guests, doing repairs, and sitting together with guests that need a listening ear! Thank you for dedicating part of your lives to this ministry!

Our many partners who financially support Shepherd's Refuge make it possible to keep the doors open, pay the electric bills, provide insurance coverage, and even help pay for the postage when we send out thank you notes. You are the fuel behind the scene, moving us forward towards the next cabin, too. Thank you!

As hosts of this great and much needed ministry, we could not do it without the many individuals that work BEHIND THE SCENE, using the talents the Lord gives you and obeying His call to action.

THANK YOU and may the Lord bless you!



The basis for establishing ECFA and developing *Seven Standards of Responsible Stewardship*™ is stated clearly by the Apostle Paul in 2 Corinthians 8:21 (NIV):  
" For we are taking pains to do what is right, not only in the eyes of the Lord  
but also in the eyes of men."



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The purpose of Shepherd's Refuge is:  
To strengthen His church to fulfill its Great Commission  
by caring for its leadership!

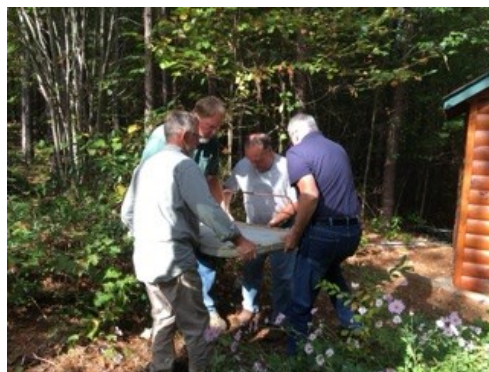
**Eph 1:15-16** Therefore I also, after I heard of your faith  
in the Lord Jesus and your love for all the saints,  
do not cease to give thanks for you,  
making mention of you in my prayers

**Php 1:2-3** Grace to you and peace from God our Father  
and the Lord Jesus Christ.  
I thank my God upon every remembrance of you

## An Unexpected Blessing

A pastor from Pennsylvania, while visiting a nearby village, came  
across this very heavy stone monument, and was prompted by the Holy  
Spirit to acquire it for Shepherd's Refuge. What an unexpected blessing!

We are proud to display the 10 Commandments!



## Irma paid us a visit

The road to get OUT of the valley ... ?



Board Member Rob Jones hard  
at work, with his expertise and  
vast experience.



Over 150 years ago this tree was a seedling ...

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